

2002 Census of Agriculture Senate District Profile

District 29, Michigan

Number of farms: 230

Land in farms: 32,203 acres

Average size of farm: 140 acres

Irrigated Land: 1,003 acres

Total number of Farm Operators: 358

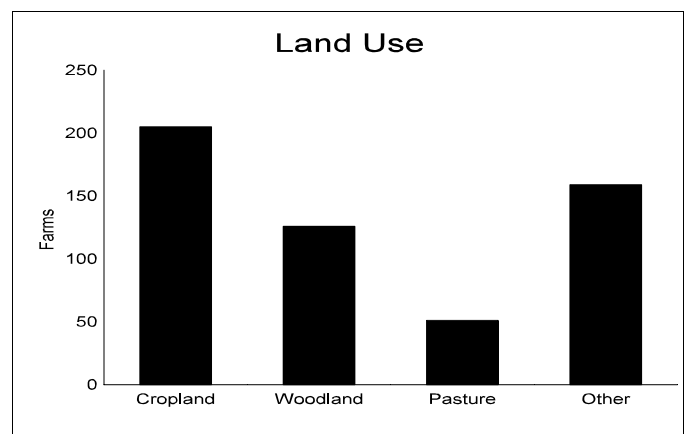
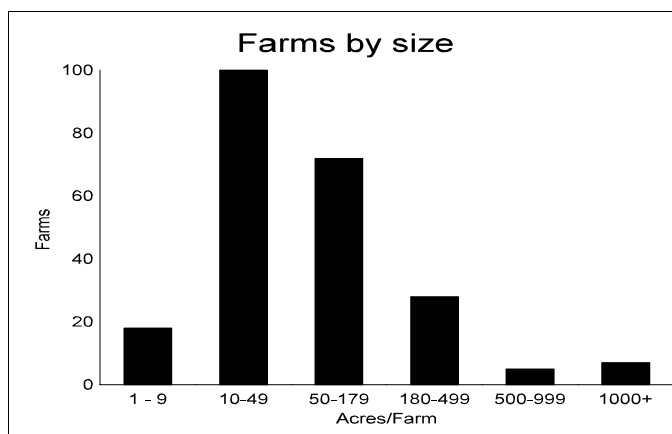
Market Value of Production: \$22,985,000

Market Value of Production, average per farm: \$99,933

Government Payments: \$450,000

Government Payments, average per farm receiving payments: \$7,384

Gross Income from Farm Related Sources ¹: \$568,000



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Michigan Agricultural Statistics Office**

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Ranked items among the 38 senate districts in the state, 2002

Item	Quantity	State rank	Universe ²
MARKET VALUE OF AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS SOLD (\$1,000)			
Total value of agricultural products sold	22,985	24	36
VALUE OF SALES BY COMMODITY GROUP (\$1,000) ³			
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, and dry peas	2,834	23	34
Tobacco	-	-	-
Cotton and cottonseed	-	-	-
Vegetables, melons, potatoes and sweet potatoes	127	28	30
Fruits, tree nuts, and berries	7,423	7	29
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture and sod	9,375	16	34
Cut Christmas trees and other short rotation woody crops	(D)	27	29
Poultry and eggs	(D)	10	29
Cattle and calves	763	23	30
Milk and other dairy products from cows	1,350	23	26
Hogs and pigs	12	26	29
Sheep, goats, and their products	4	26	29
Horses, ponies, mules, burros and donkeys	(D)	28	30
Aquaculture	(D)	20	20
TOP LIVESTOCK INVENTORY ITEMS (number)			
Turkeys	40,024	5	30
Cattle and calves	2,903	24	31
Horses and ponies	742	27	33
Hogs and pigs	272	24	29
Colonies of bees	(D)	23	31
TOP CROP ITEMS (acres)			
Corn for grain	7,269	24	30
Forage - land used for all hay and haylage, grass silage, and green chop	3,970	24	32
Soybeans	3,821	22	32
Apples	2,331	6	29
All Wheat for grain	735	24	29

Other Senate District Highlights

Economic Characteristics	Quantity	Operator characteristics	Quantity
Farms by value of sales		Principal operators by primary occupation:	
Less than \$1,000	95	Farming	110
\$1,000 to \$2,499	32	Other	120
\$2,500 to \$4,999	10		
\$5,000 to \$9,999	22	Principal operators by sex:	
\$10,000 to \$19,999	9	Male	185
\$20,000 to \$24,000	12	Female	45
\$25,000 to \$39,999	10		
\$40,000 to \$49,000	1	Average age of principal operator (years)	52
\$50,000 to \$99,999	12		
\$100,000 to \$249,999	7	All operators ⁴ by race	
\$250,000 to \$499,999	8	White	352
\$500,000 or more	12	Black or African American	-
Total farm production expenses (\$1,000)	17,732	American Indian or Alaskan Native	-
Average per farm (\$)	77,433	Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	-
		Asian	-
Net cash farm income of operation (\$1,000)	3,784	More than one race	-
Average per farm (\$)	16,524	All operators ⁴ of Spanish, Hispanic or Latino Origin	8

(D) Cannot be disclosed.

¹Customwork, farm rent, forest products, recreational services, cooperative dividends, animal boarding, tax refunds, etc.

² Universe is number of house districts in state with item.

³ Categories are not comprehensive and will not sum to total.

⁴ Data were collected for a maximum of three operators per farm.